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SUBJECT: REQUEST FROM OAS SCHOLARSHIP APPLICANT FOR
ASSISTANCE IN OBTAINING RECOMMENDATION LETTER

1. WEBSTER COLLEGE POLITICAL SCIENCE PROFESSOR R. LYNN KELLY HAS TELEPHONED DEPARTMENT ABOUT STATUS OF HIS MARCH 30 LETTER TO EMBASSY FINANCIAL ATTACHE BITTNER REQUESTING ASSISTANCE IN OBTAINING A LETTER SUPPORTING HIS APPLICATION FOR AN OAS STUDY GRANT. KELLY STATES THAT THE DESIRED LETTER, WHICH HOPEFULLY WOULD BE FROM A VENEZUELAN CONNECTED WITH THE CORPORACION ANDINA DE FOMENTO OR FROM ENRIQUE VIAL CLARK OR ADOLFO LINARES OF THE ANDEAN PACT, WOULD INDICATE THAT HIS PROJECT IS CONSIDERED OF VALUE, HIS ACADEMIC CREDENTIALS ARE LEGITIMATE, AND THAT FACILITIES IN VENEZUELA USEFUL TO HIS RESEARCH WOULD BE AVAILABLE. PROFESSOR KELLY ASKS THAT SAID LETTER BE SENT DIRECTLY TO HIS OFFICE, 470 EAST LOCKWOOD, ST. LOUIS, MO. 63119, IN ORDER FOR HIM TO FORWARD IT TO OAS HEADQUARTERS BY JUNE 1 WHEN THE OAS FELLOWSHIPS COMMITTEE MEETS.

2. ACTION REQUESTED: TO EXTENT FEASIBLE, APPRECIATE EMBASSY ENDEAVORING ASSIST KELLY TO OBTAIN SAID LETTER.

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KELLY, WHO KNOWN TO DEPARTMENT THROUGH SCHOLAR-DIPLOMAT

PROGRAM HAS CONDUCTED PREVIOUS RESEARCH IN CARACAS. KISSINGER

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